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EXDIS FOR US DELEGATION (DR. BOURNE) UNDP GOVERNING COUNCIL

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: UNDP, SHUM, VM, UNFPA.

SUBJECT:UNDP GOVERNING COUNCIL: UNFPA POPULATION RESETTLE-
MENT PROJECT IN VIETNAM.

1. DEPARTMENT AGREES WITH USUN THAT THE APPROACH UNFPA HAS SUGGESTED TO THE JAPANESE DOES NOT REPEAT NOT MEET OUR CONCERNS ABOUT THE UNFPA PROJECT. IN FACT, IT APPEARS THAT UNFPA IS MOUNTING A LOBBYING CAMPAIGN DESIGNED TO GAIN SUPPORT FOR GOING AHEAD WITH ITS PROJECT AS PRESENTLY PLANNED.

2. FOR USUN: YOU SHOULD BRIEF AMBASSADOR ABE FULLY ON OUR DISCUSSIONS WITH GILLE AS REPORTED IN REF (B). YOU MAY ALSO PROVIDE ABE WITH A COPY OF THE MAYNES/SALAS LETTER. YOU SHOULD STRESS THAT OUR AIM IS TO HAVE THE
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\$3 1/2 MILLION DESIGNATED FOR POPULATION RESETTLEMENT IN THE NEW ECONOMIC ZONES PUT INTO THE CONTINGENCY FUND SO THAT IT CAN BE USED FOR PROJECTS IN VIETNAM NOT RELATED TO POPULATION RESETTLEMENT. IF SRV WILL NOT AGREE TO THIS, WE BELIEVE THAT ENTIRE PROJECT SHOULD BE DEFERRED UNTIL NEXT GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING SO THAT MORE CONSULTATIONS CAN TAKE PLACE.

3. FOR GENEVA: YOU SHOULD BRIEF JAPANESE DELEGATION TO GOVERNING COUNCIL ALONG LINES OF PARAGRAPH 2. YOU SHOULD ALSO POINT OUT TO SALAS THAT REPORTS WE HAVE HEARD OF THEIR LOBBYING WITH OTHER DELEGATIONS TO PROCEED WITH THE PROJECT AS SUBMITTED TO BE UNHELPFUL.

4. PLEASE REPORT ANY DISCUSSIONS YOU HAVE HAD ON THIS ISSUE. CHRISTOPHER

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